

CONNECTICUT - DISTRICT 2**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
Farms			
Number	288	610	355
Acreage	18,682	67,924	36,235
Average size (acres)	65	128	102
Median size (acres)	27	60	45
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	366,149	503,628	445,136
Machinery/equip (dollars)	35,216	46,395	41,273
Cropland (acres)			
Total	7,992	29,958	16,607
Harvested	6,092	23,491	13,002
Irrigated	308	709	428
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	27,268	125,805	33,944
(dollars avg. per farm)	76,811	206,237	117,861
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	7,487	44,661	26,051
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	2,027	16,018	10,618
Beef cows	396	1,302	723
Milk cows	615	7,689	5,156
Hogs and pigs	287	1,090	418
Sheep and lambs	298	942	763
Layers 13 wks or/older	2,859	3,307,150	1,655,005
Broilers and chicken (sold)	350	181,466	350
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	379	879	629
Corn, silage or green chop	502	9,286	5,018
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	N	N	0
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	N	N	0
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	N	N	0
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	2	9	6
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	3,980	14,367	7,118

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Vegetables			
Number of farms	43	70	50
Acreage	240	664	454
Orchards			
Number of farms	15	34	29
Acreage	242	358	271

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture